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SUBJECT: ANDREAS PAPANDREOU VIEWS KARAMANLIS GOVERNMENT AS FALSE
PRETENSE

1. SUMMARY. ANDREAS PAPANDREOU IN HIS CAPACITY AS PRESIDENT OF THE PANHELLENIC LIBERATION MOVEMENT (PAK) IS QUOTED IN ATHENS PRESS JULY 27 AS SAYING GREECE HAS ENTERED INTO PHASE OF DIRECTED PARLIAMENTARIANISM CALCULATED TO GENERATE FALSE FEELING OF MARCH TOWARD DEMOCRACY. ATHENS PRESS HERALDING HIS ARRIVAL IN PATRAS JULY 31 REPORTED PROMINENTLY HIS REMARKS MADE TO JOURNALISTS IN ROME. TO VIMA (STAUNCH SUPPORTER OF ANDREAS' FATHER GEORGE PAPANDREOU) AND ATHINAIKI (LIBERAL) ARE TAKING LEAD IN REPORTAGE OF PAPANDREOU'S PRESS STATEMENTS AND ARRIVAL PLANS. END SUMMARY.

2. ANDREAS PAPANDREOU ATTACHED KARAMANLIS GOVERNMENT AND LABELLED IT "NATO'S WATCHMAN" IN ROME PRESS MEETING THIS WEEK. HE SAID TRUE POWER IN GREECE CONTINUES TO RESIDE IN HANDS OF U.S., NATO AND GREEK ARMY. PAPANDREOU CALLED INADMISSIBLE BLUNDER KARAMANLIS GOVERNMENT'S GRANTING "PARDON" TO THE "GANG OF TORTURERS" PREVIOUSLY CONTROLLING COUNTRY. HE CHARGED THAT AMERICANS IN
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COLLABORATION WITH THEIR AGENTS IN GREECE STAGED COUP IN

CYPRUS AND DIRECTED POLITICIZATION OF GREEK DICTATORSHIP. ACCORD-
ING TO PAPANDREOU STAGING CYPRUS COUP WAS DESIGNED TO RELAX
POPULAR SENTIMENT WHICH WAS MOUNTING AGAINST BRUTAL DICTATORSHIP
OF GREECE. PAPANDREOU ADDED THAT REAL AIM OF POLITICIZATION OF
DICTATORSHIP IS TO ESTABLISH SYSTEM OF DIRECTED PARLIAMENTARISM
WHICH WILL PROVIDE FALSE FEELING THAT COUNTRY IS MARCHING
TOWARD DEMOCRACY WHILE STRUCTURE OF POWER REMAINS UNTOUCHED.

3. PAPANDREOU SAID AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN COLONIZATION OF GREECE
CONTINUES UNIMPEDED AS GREECE SERVES MORE EFFECTIVELY NATO'S AND
PENTAGON'S STRATEGIC INTERESTS IN MEDITERRANEAN. HE CONCLUDED
GREEK PEOPLE WILL GATHER STRENGTH AND WILL UNDERTAKE STRUGGLE FOR
FULL NATIONAL INDEPENDENCE, ABSOLUTE POPULAR SOVEREIGNTY AND
SOCIAL LIBERATION OF GREEK WORKING CLASS.

4. ALL NEWSPAPERS REPORT PAPANDREOU'S PLANNED ARRIVAL IN PATRAS
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